Mountain Weather Forecast

Mourne Mountains

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Monday 09 May 2022 until 23:59 on Tuesday 10 May 2022

Forecast Issued on Monday 09 May 2022 at 02:07

Confidence: High for some rain on Monday then bright spells and showers for rest of the week. Also high confidence for staying cold and quite windy on the tops.

Headline for Monday 09 May 2022: Cloudy. Rain later in morning, turning showery later in afternoon. Windy on the tops and feeling cold.

Mountain weather hazards on Monday 09 May 2022

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales Low Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Medium Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 700m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Light rain	Light rain	Heavy Rain	Light rain	Heavy rain showers	Heavy rain showers (night)
Precipitation probability					
40%	40%	70%	70%	50%	50%

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Weather: Cloudy with a dry start to the day then rain spreading from the west across the Mourne mountains later in the morning. Rain will become persistent and heavier for a time, giving way to brighter weather and scattered showers later in afternoon.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 700m: 60% reducing 20% later in morning, improving 70% again by early evening.

Low cloud and visibility: Good visibility at first with clouds above many of the tops. It will turn misty later in morning as rain moves in, then poor visibility in heavier rain with clouds coming well down the hills. The visibility will improve good again later in afternoon away from showers with clouds lifting and breaking up.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)				Wind Direction (blowing from)		
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	30/40 S	32/44 S	35/49 S	32/44 S	28/40 SW	27/39 SW	30/43 SW
300	15/27 S	18/31 S	19/34 S	17/31 S	16/28 SW	13/25 SW	14/28 SW
Valley	13/26 S	15/29 S	16/32 S	14/29 S	13/26 SW	10/24 SW	13/27 SW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	7/2	7/2	8/2	8/4	10/5	9/4	6/1
300	9/6	9/6	9/6	10/7	11/9	10/8	8/5
Valley	10/7	10/8	10/7	11/9	12/10	11/9	9/6
Freezing Level*	1900m	1900m	2300m	2400m	2000m	1900m	1300m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Feeling cold on the tops especially when rain arrives with strong winds and single figure temperatures.

Forecast for Tuesday 10 May 2022

Weather: A brighter day with sunshine and scattered showers. Some heavier showers are likely but they will pass by quickly so still a lot of dry weather in between the showers.

Maximum wind: Strong southwest winds over higher ridges and summits. Average speeds of 20 to 30mph with gusts 40mph.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 700m: 60%

Low cloud and visibility: Good visibility for much of the time with occasional cloud cover about 700m. Temporary interruptions to poor visibility as showers pass by and clouds briefly lowering.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 7 Celsius rising to 15 Celsius.
At 700m: Plus 6 Celsius.
Freezing level: 1500m.

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